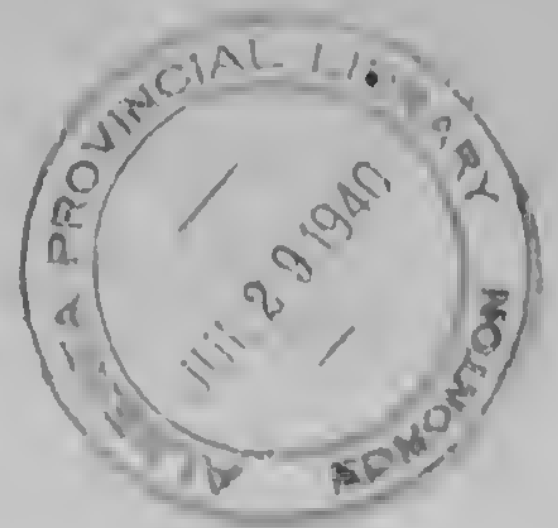


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Nazi Peace Offer Not Taken Seriously

The peace offer made by Hitler last week to the British Empire has not been very kindly received according to press reports and radio speeches. From the tenor of these reports now that the British lion has bared his claws he has no intention of sheathing them until the matter of dictatorship or freedom is settled, once and for all.

Premier Churchill and Viscount Halifax speaking for England, have stated definitely since the proposals that England had no intention of entertaining any peace proposals. Premier Menzies in Australia reported a quickening and an enlarging of his country's plans to send more men and material to England to help to fight it out, and Premier King speaking for Canada in reporting our own country's efforts reported progress in the air training scheme, work on additional facilities for the manufacture and assembly of various kinds of war materials, and an increasing number of enlistments in all branches of the service across the entire breadth of the Dominion.

This is certainly no time for bed time stories. Nations already over run by the Nazi war machine in activities thus far are facing death and famine during the coming winter while everything that can be confiscated will be to feed the armies, navies and airmen of the axis powers, men drunk with power and who apparently have lost their reason in their meteoric rise to power. It will be heard on the democratic nations to watch people in Nazi dominated Europe suffer from lack of food, at the same time, if victory is to be won the blockade against these aggressor nations must be kept just as airtight as possible.

Any food supplies sent in for relief of the suffering certainly would never get any farther than the men under arms as long as these forces need it. While our enemies claim plenty of supplies and food for all; it is known that beef rations are practically nil and three million hogs in Denmark were ordered killed this week to provide meat. What with the millions of acres of destroyed crops this season and no imports from any where, it seems certain that a decided shortage of food supplies will develop as the month passes.

It is encouraging to the Allies to see the attitude of the United States, and the re-nomination of President Roosevelt is going to be another strengthening factor. Our neighbors feel that this is as much their war as ours, and while no call to arms has been sounded, preparations are proceeding in addition to men being trained, additional supplies, especially airplanes being ordered, and if and when it is felt necessary the United States will have a large and effective force ready to jump and stand side by side with the men of the British Empire in the defence of freedom and democracy.

Always lovers of peace and fair play, there are times when it seems that this freedom must be maintained with the sword, and this apparently is that time. Canadians are standing side by side with Britain to make peace and security secure, and with the other Dominions will make any sacrifice necessary to see that those rights which have cost so much in the past, shall never be sacrificed so long as men and materials are available to protect them. When peace is made it will be on a basis of continuing that freedom which

TO ARRANGE FOR REGISTRATION

A meeting has been called for the Town Hall at 8:30 Monday evening to arrange for the registration of all Canadian citizens over 16 years of age. H. Dean Rolfson and Shirley King have been appointed Deputy Registrars for the district, and the meeting Monday night will be for volunteers to assist in the task of registering and cataloguing Raymond people. It is recommended that about eight in addition to the two deputies will be able to handle the job.

It is planned to arrange a registration booth at the Sugar Factory for all the employees at the factory and it is likely that the Town Hall will be used for the others. The meeting is called by the Legion on request of the Mayor, and may be again state it is Monday night, July 29th, at 8:30 p.m.

NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Don Rodeback were Lethbridge visitors Monday last.

Crops south of town and out towards the ridge look pretty good and show very little sign of any burning to date.

Mrs. Mattie Hutchins, of Spokane, sister of Mrs. Wm. Pilling and Mrs. Don Rodeback is visiting here with her sisters for awhile.

Born to Mr. & Mrs. Isaacson, nee Joy Piegrass, at the Car mangay Hospital Sunday morning, a nine pound baby boy. Mother and son are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Stone are holidaying this week, having gone to Edmonton with members of the Hardy family for a trip around the Banff Jasper highway.

Lance corporal Wm. Ellis of Merath and well known here, is being transferred to Cardston in a shakeup of R.C.M.P. officials in the south and Constable Tallon who has been in Warner is being transferred to Magrath.

Painters of the Texaco Co. were in town this week and gave the exterior of the local Texaco Service Station a complete painting, adding much to its appearance.

Mr. Mooney, Sanitary Inspector of the province was in town Thursday on his regular visit. Things generally were satisfactory, especially good reports being made on Raymond's two dairies.

The Stake Missionaries, under the direction of Elder C. E. Allen will have charge of the Sunday evening meeting at the First Ward next Sunday evening. A good program of speaking and music has been arranged for this meeting.

Elders H.S. Allen and O.H. Snow, both former members of the Stake Presidency were speakers at the Raymond First Ward, Sunday evening and spoke on Snow speaking of the L. D. S. pioneer experiences, President Church trek across the plains to Salt Lake City and Dr. P. Allen speaking of early pioneering in Alberta, he having come to Alberta first in 1883.

makes men instead of human robots.

Frank T. Holt Passes Away

Frank T. Holt, aged 67, pioneer farmer, businessman and community builder, was found dead in his car on the road about six miles north of Lethbridge at one a.m. Tuesday morning.

The family were notified about 4 a.m. and Grant and Murray, two of the boys, went over immediately to look after things. There are a great many things about the passing that are conjecture. He had been around town all day Monday, apparently feeling fine. Shortly after 6 p.m. he left for Coaldale to see T. Kanak, who up to this year had been farming his beet land just north of town. Apparently his man was not at home and he went to Coalhurst and was coming from Coalhurst to Lethbridge, judging by the location of the car.

It is surmised he had either felt a heart attack coming on or else became very drowsy because he had pulled the car over to the side of the road, turned off the engine and stopped. It is presumed that death occurred possibly around 10 o'clock for the car lights were on, and when the body was

NEWS NOTES

Hyrum Fromm was a Macleod visitor Sunday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Witbeck and Mrs. Fred Romeril, and a great many young people of the town spent a brief holiday in Waterton over the week end.

Mrs. L. L. Palmer and family returned home Sunday after spending a week in the Park. Les went up Saturday night after work and came home with the family Sunday afternoon.

Ted Meeks returned Tuesday evening with six Shorthorn bulls picked out of the Prince of Wales herd at High River. There were three old ones and three yearlings and they made a full load for the truck.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Geo. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thorpe, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Zabriskie represented the local Rotary Club at Waterton Park on Saturday when they attended the International Peace Park meeting. The Woods and Thorpes returned after the meeting.

Speakers at the Raymond 2nd Ward Sunday evening were Pres. T. Geo. Wood, Miss Alice Snow and A. W. Jones. Musical numbers were a clarinet solo by Bob McMullin, and a ladies trio by Mesdames King and Walker and Miss Dorothy Nurse. A very enjoyable meeting was held, although the crowd was rather on the small side.

Angelo Matteotti, a farmer south of Cardston, and native of Italy, was killed early Monday morning on his farm, his daughter finding his body. From appearances they judge that he was either ran over by his tractor or struck by it when it tipped over. He had mired in some wet land and had apparently unhooked the tractor, when it got away from him and ran over a bank, killing him on its way, his body being found fifteen feet away from the machine. No inquest was held.

Local Militia Unit Steadily Growing

PLAN CAMPAIGN FOR RECRUITMENT OF MILITIAMEN

Lieut. Gov. J.C. Bowen To Open Program Of Speeches

Launching an intensive province wide drive to encourage recruiting in the non permanent militia, His Honor, Captain J.C. Bowen, lieutenant governor of Alberta, will speak over Station CFAC and a network of Alberta stations at 8:45 p.m., Friday evening. The title of the address will be "What Are We Fighting For?"

Others who will speak in the series of radio addresses at weekly intervals, are the premier of the province on "Employers' Cooperation"; Major General the Hon. Senator W.A. Griessbach, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., inspector general of the C.A.S.F., on "Why Should I Enlist?"; and Brigadier C.E. Connolly, D.S.O., district officer commanding, on "The Advantages of Military Training."

Coupled with the radio talks will be newspaper advertising, the placing of 2,500 posters throughout the province, and movie trailers.

Service clubs in Alberta cities will be addressed by army officers, asking for cooperation in granting leave to employees to attend militia camps. The officers will welcome invitations to speak for a few minutes before the principal luncheon speakers.

The panel of speakers for Calgary, from military headquarters, includes Major L. Wyatt, G.S.O. 3; Captain C.L. Smith, G.S.O.3; Capt. H. G. Nolan, M.C., assistant judge advocate general; Major H.P. Roche, deputy assistant adjutant and quarter master general.

These officers will speak at any luncheon on request. Other speakers will be provided in Lethbridge, Red Deer, Drumheller and Edmonton. —The Calgary Herald.

NEWS NOTES

Don Merrill was in Lethbridge on Monday last on business.

Miss Lena Quinton of Cardston spent the last part of the week here with Miss June May.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Melchior and family of Picture Butte, were Raymond visitors last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Rolfson of Picture Butte, were here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wiggill and Mr. and Mrs. Bijl Fairbanks spent Saturday and Sunday at Waterton Park.

RECOMMENDS BOARD

Marketing of Western Canada's wheat crop through the Canadian Wheat Board for the duration of the war, has been recommended by Hon. D. B. Mullen, Minister of Agriculture. Establishment of a minimum price of \$7.5 cents per bushel is also urged. These recommendations are in direct line with the feeling of wheat growers and agricultural organizations in the west. Estimating Alberta's wheat crop in the neighborhood of approximately 150,000,000 bushels Mr. Mullen pointed out that "in view of the surplus stocks of wheat in storage and a demoralized export market, the storage, financing and utilization of such a crop is of vital importance to every citizen of Alberta."

The local militia unit is growing steadily, but more recruits are needed to bring it up to the desired strength. The recruits are drilling every Monday Tuesday and Friday nights to get acquainted with commands and formation.

Sam Dyson, who has been instrumental in getting the local group organized has been made a Lance sergeant of No. 2. Section, which will be made up mostly of Raymond boys if enough can be signed up. Those who wish to join should get in touch with Sergeant Dyson and arrange for the necessary details. Sam has had his uniform issued him now and will be wearing it on parade we presume.

SECOND WARD EXCURSION SUCCESSFUL

Headed by Chairman Don Rodeback of the Ward General Committee, the Raymond 2nd Ward Temple Day on Wednesday was very successful with about 85 attending during the day.

The cars commenced leaving Raymond about 6:15 to get to Cardston for the special session which commenced at 8 a.m. and which numbered slightly over 72 people, practically all of them Raymond people. In the afternoon the two morning sessions were merged making a company of 120. The afternoon company got out at 6 p.m. and most of the cars came home early in the evening, a few of them staying for the night. The session which commenced at 7 p.m. Quite a few who were unable to be present for the morning session went up at noon after the stores closed and took in the afternoon session.

NEW BOOKS AT LIBRARY

"Eveless Eden"; "Gunsmoke Range"; "When Whippoorwill"; "Something Special"; "Quietly my Capt. Waits"; "My Son, My Son"; "I Found No Peace"; "Great Gatsby"; "Whistle for Good Fortune"; "Are you Listening?"; "British Empire"; "Twin Kids"; "Bear Twins"; "7 League Boots"; "Tamarack"; "R. Hall Burton Story of his Life's Adventures"; "Thru the House Door"; "My Horse and Buggy Daze".

172 people visited the Library Saturday July 20 after two weeks holiday. 223 books were returned and 93 books loaned.

The Frank Taylor and the Zabriskie families are spending their vacations at Waterton Park, having gone there Saturday afternoon last to spend two weeks.

A Board of Trade meeting was called for Monday night, but when only three were present President Hall decided to call it off until a later date. So many people holidaying make meetings a real problem.

PEACE PARK GATHERING REPORTED

In the absence of Pres. Frank Taylor, Heber Allen took charge of the Rotary meeting on Monday. Due to so many being on holidays attendance was somewhat small. Reports on the International Peace Park luncheon and programme were given by Dr. Hall, T. Geo. Wood and Frank Thorpe, and musical numbers by Margaret and Louise Alken made a very nice program.

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OUR HOME IMPROVEMENT CONTEST

As a result of our Home Improvement contest, and the natural pride in beautiful homes of Canadians, Raymond is going to be a much improved town so far as lawns, flowers, fences, borders and so on are concerned, when judges photograph the entered premises again in the fall. Perhaps there is a secret hope in the heart of most that they may win a prize, and we hope that prizes of some sort may be made available to all, not so much for the value of the prize as to show that their efforts are appreciated and recognized; but apart from this, the fever of fixing up has spread like an epidemic and everyone who is able to spare a few dollars for posts, fencing, paint, shrubs, trees and so on, are going ahead in this campaign and really dressing up. Some homes, that we thought almost dream homes this spring have been freshly painted, walls roof and windows, additional beds put in, lawns made a little more vigorous, and so on, and decided improvement made. Barbed wire fences have been replaced with ornamental fences of wire and lumber, sagging gates have been replaced or repaired, and the paint bush has been going up and down the fences, boulevards have been made, and all in all, in dozens of homes we have visited and others we know nothing about, this spirit of fixing up and beautifying has been vigorously pushed.

It would be interesting to see some of the comparisons between homes and yards as they were this spring and as they will appear when the photos are taken this fall. It will be interesting to know how much volume and speed a plan gathers once it is launched. It would be a fine thing if some way could be devised of maintaining this plan or a similar one, and in some manner, eliminate those homes which have achieved near perfection and further encourage those, still in need of added improvement. This, possibly is out of the question.

But there are many questions arise. Some like All-dip bar, the money, and they particularly encouraging, for, as outdoorsman Ben East points out in an article in the current Rotarian Magazine, one of the greatest fishing areas left on the North American Continent lies in Canada. It's the Algoma country of Ontario, lying just above the east end of Lake Superior. "There are rivers where you can take walleyes on every cast with a chunk of pork rind," says this writer. "Other rivers there it's northern pike in place of walleyes, and the fishing is every bit as good. The lakes? More of 'em than are shown on any map, more than you or any other man can name. And in scores and hundreds of 'em nobody save maybe a roving prospector or bush trapper has ever dipped a fishhook. "Go whenever you can," he urges. "Some of the greatest trout fishing in the world awaits you. Spring to Fall, up there beyond the highway's end. You'll fight squaretails until your wrist aches, and eat 'em until your eyes bulge. It's a brand of thrills that's worth going half around the earth to get, the fishing in these beautiful, wild rivers and dark lakes of the green Algoma bush."

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THE WORLD OF WHEAT

By H.G.L. Strange

Nazi Germany now has under its control, either directly or indirectly, almost the whole of Western Europe, an area containing a population of about 100 million people. This area never has been self-sufficient in wheat or rye, or in feeding stuffs for stock; because of this, therefore, and because of the poor harvest this year, and the damage done to crops by armies, it is fully expected that most of these European countries will face a scarcity of foodstuffs this coming winter.

Of one thing we can be quite certain: that vigorous and urgent appeals to the United States, to South America, and even to Canada and Australia, will be made by Germany to ship food to such countries as France, Belgium, Holland and Denmark, in order to relieve, it will be said, the intense sufferings of the people from hunger.

These appeals will be strong and hard to deny, but if the more intense miseries and even greater sufferings of British people are not to be prolonged and German aggression aided, then these Nazi requests must be firmly resisted; for it is certain as night follows day that every shipment of wheat or flour sent by kindly-hearted



WEEKLY LETTER

HEAT CANKER IN FLAX

During the last few weeks of hot weather, considerable loss has been experienced in many of the flax fields of Southern Alberta from Heat Canker. This is a disease which affects flax in certain seasons when the stands are thin and the plants are only about six to twelve inches high when the very hot weather sets in. The plants become girdled at the point where they come in contact with the surface of the ground, and are weakened to the extent that they eventually break off in the wind. The trouble is not likely to occur if the surface soil has become crusted.

After losses commence to appear usually nothing can be done to prevent them, but certain precautionary measures can be taken at the time of the seeding to avoid the trouble. Flax should be sown early so

that when the hot weather arrives the plants will have made sufficient growth to shade the ground and prevent it from becoming too hot. Care should also be taken to avoid getting a stand that is too thin.

The unfortunate idea that flax requires a shorter season than wheat to ripen and that it can therefore be sown successfully until about the first of June 1st, is still quite prevalent. This is an erroneous idea and it may have been responsible in some cases for the losses from Heat Canker this season. The earliest varieties of flax ripen at approximately the same time as the earliest varieties of wheat and the flax were ready ties of each, such as Bison flax and Marquis wheat, require the same length of time to mature. In fact at the Station a mixture of seed of these two varieties has frequently been sown and it has been found that both the wheat and the flax were ready for cutting at the same time.

people to German controlled areas, will enable the Nazis to drop still more bombs on the women and children of Great Britain.

Following factors have tended to raise price:—Wheat production in Hungary expected to be 85 million bushels smaller than last year — Spain is expected to purchase considerable quantities of overseas wheat — Sweden's wheat crop is estimated at 13 million bushels less than in 1939 — Wheat crops of the Orient, it is thought, will be well below average.

Following factors have tended to lower price:—Danish apple production shows a substantial increase — Argentine meat production in 1939 showed an increase of 6% over 1938 — Recent rains beneficial to crops in the United Kingdom — Much needed rains received in certain areas of Western Europe — German bombing of British food convoys increases in severity.

A lawyer was asked by a woman friend what was the difference between a solicitor and a barrister.

"Precisely the same," he replied, "as between a crocodile and an alligator."

CONTROL LAWN WEEDS BY PLANNED PROGRAM

The first step in controlling lawn weeds is to follow a maintenance program which will result in a dense, vigorous healthy turf. Important features of this program include judicious fertilization, proper mowing and watering and timely reseeding. It is recommended by the Division of Forage Plants, Dominion Experimental Farms Service, states J.H. Boyce, that lawns receive two applications of a complete fertilizer each year, one as soon as possible in the spring and the other in the early fall, about September 1st. Fertilizers containing from 4 to 5 per cent of nitrogen, 8 to 12 per cent phosphoric acid and 4 to 5 per cent potash are recommended for most situations. These fertilizers should be applied at the rate of 15 to 20 lbs. per 1,000 square feet.

The lawn should be cut frequently with a sharp mower. It is desirable that the grass be cut to a height of 1½ to 2 inches. Mowing to lower heights encourages growth of certain types of weeds. Where it is available, artificial watering may be used to great advantage during the dry summer months. The lawn should not receive water, however, until it shows definite signs of needing it and then the soil should be moistened thoroughly to a depth of at least four inches. Frequent light waterings are undesirable since they encourage the growth of shallow rooted weeds and

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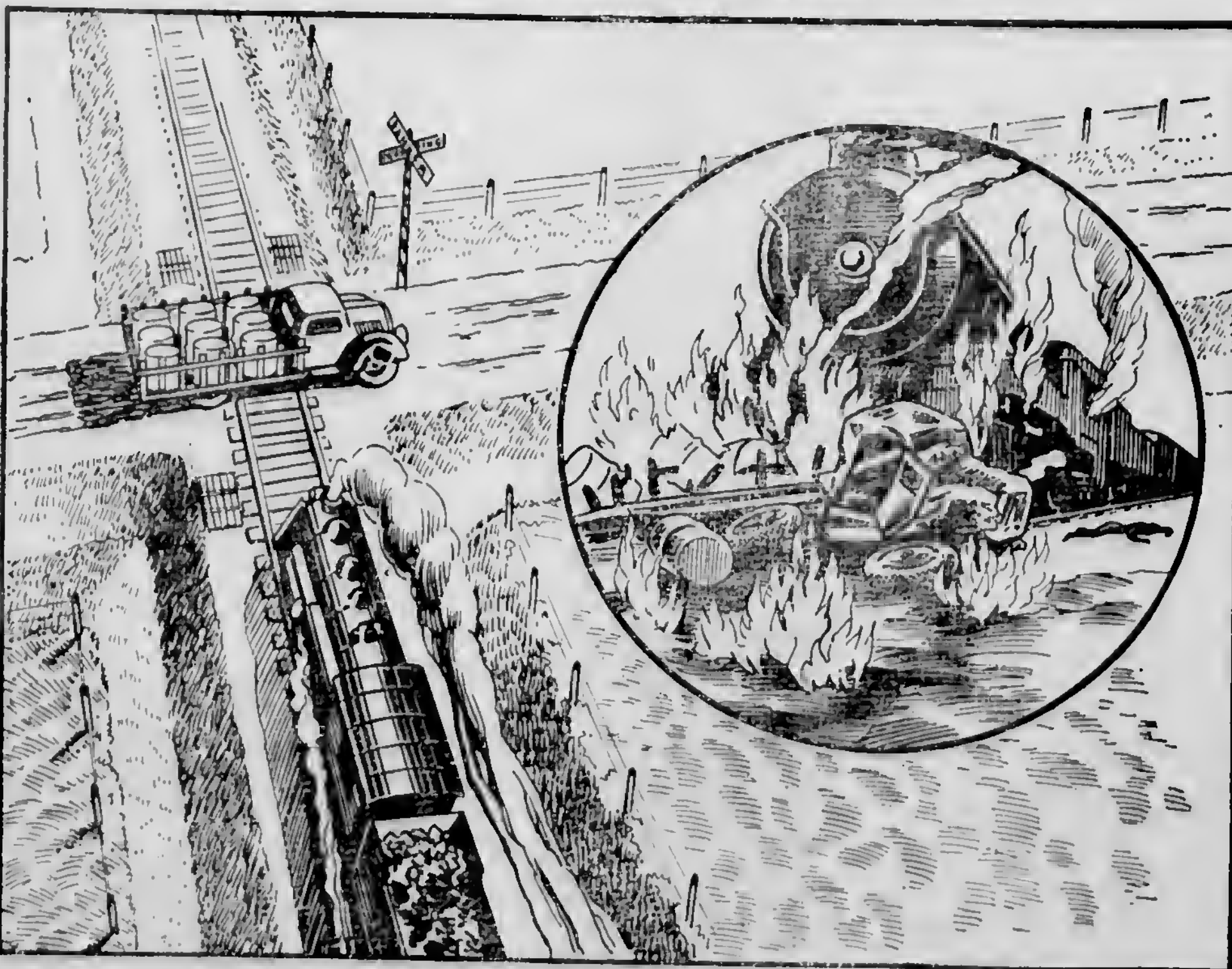
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Beginning today, The Raymond Recorder presents a series of graphic drawings, produced with the co-operation of the Canadian Pacific Railway's engineering department, designed to lessen the heavy toll of lives taken every year by crossing accidents in this country. The drawings are taken from files on actual accidents, in which, investigation proved, a moment's care on the part of the motorist might have saved a life or

lives. The sketches above illustrate what happened recently when a truck over loaded with gasoline drums, tried to beat a main line train to a crossing in eastern Manitoba. The engine of the truck failed under its load on the slight grade over the tracks and the truck itself was left in the path of the onrushing express. A terrific explosion followed the impact and flaming gasoline was hurled over the

locomotive. The truck driver was killed, as was one of the engine crew when the latter jumped from the blazing cab. Because the engineer stuck to his post to the last and set his brakes when he sighted the truck, no passengers were injured, but the collision was an avoidable one: the truck had stalled. Ordinary care on the part of the truck driver would have averted this fatal accident.

HEARTS WALKING

Mrs. Harry Pugh Smith

CHAPTER XVII

Miss Helen Sanders and her father arrived next morning at eleven forty. Jim met the train. Helen, lovelier than ever in a sheer black travelling dress with peach colored accessories, flung herself into his arms while her father stood about on one foot and then the other waiting for her raptures to subside.

"I've got the old flivver here," said Jim.

She squeezed his arm. "We brought one of the cars and a chauffeur." A trim chauffeur in lemon colored livery bobbed up apparently from nowhere and touched his cap to Mr. Sanders.

"The limousine's waiting, sir," he said.

Jim gulped again and followed meekly to where a huge pale yellow machine having just been rolled out of the baggage car, stood glittering with chromium at the side of the station. By it were several trunks, a pyramid of travelling bags a wooden faced Frenchwoman in a maid's uniform and the solemn bespectacled young man who was Clive Sander's private secretary.

Jim was beginning to perspire. He felt more than ever all arms and legs as they rode up to Bay City's most expensive hotel. Mr. Sanders so far as Jim could tell had engaged practically the entire fourth floor for himself and his party. Helen and her father each had a sitting room in bedroom, and bath. Their sitting rooms opened into each other and it was there they had lunch. Jim had planned to take his fiancée and her father out to lunch. He had painstakingly audited his bank account and decided he could afford for once to tackle the Bel Air Restaurant at a dollar a plate, but Helen vetoed the suggestion.

"We'll be so much more private up here," she said, "and any way, darling, father's footing the bills." It was five minutes to two when they rose from the table. "Got to get back to the office," said Jim and smiled. Helen wound her arms about him and cuddled her cheek deliciously against his. "You can't go," she said. Jim caught Mr. Sanders' eye. "Might as well give in, young feller," he remarked drily. "But—" began Jim. "You don't really want to leave me, do you darling?" cried Helen, nibbling at his ear. "No or of course not," stammered Jim, wishing she would restrain her affectionate gesture to a private audition. In the end Jim telephoned the office and in a not very happy voice informed Judge Hetchco that he would not be back that afternoon.

Helen had been tickling the back of Jim's neck with tiny town. moist kisses while he was telephoning. When he hung up the receiver she pulled him down upon a love seat by the window and cuddled into his arms. Jim cast an anguished glance at the open door into the other sitting room where her father was striding up and down chewing savagely on an unlighted cigar while he dictated to his secretary.

Bell boys ran in and out with more telegrams. The telephone rang constantly. Mr. Sanders called his New York office, an oil field in Texas, and once he called to his London agency as casually as Jim would have telephoned to the nearest town.

Mr. Sanders sent downstairs to the bar for Manhattans. Helen insisted on being fed her cocktail by spoonfuls. The waiters acted as if he were blind, deaf and dumb, but Jim felt as if his face were a three alarm fire.

"Darling," murmured Helen, "you must get used to having no privacy. The rich don't." "I'm not rich," said Jim.

She snuggled against him. "You're marrying me. Father's going to make you vice president of something," she cried in a plaintive voice.

"But—" he began again, only Helen interrupted. She was gently nuzzling his Adam's apple which made it difficult for him to speak. "I've got a job," protested Jim.

"Darling, I could never live in this dull little town," said Miss Helen Sanders. "I can't wait to take you to Father's tailor," she went on dreamily. "You'll need gangs of clothes, evening and sport togs, and a valet to keep them straight."

It was a relief when his fiancée jumped up at five and gave him an affectionate little shove toward the door. "I must dress, and it takes me hours," she said. Mr. Sanders appeared in the doorway. "Bring your mother and sister to dinner tonight, Phillips," he said genially. "And anyone else you like. Dinner at eight, you know."

Jim's mother and Janet were at home when he came in, sitting rather barborously, it seemed to Jim in the kitchen. "Aren't you early, darling?" faltered Anne.

Her eyes looked red. Jim felt conscious stricken. "We're all invited to dinner with Mr. Sanders. At eight," he added, "and I'm starved, darn it!"

"We're going to be married right away," he explained stiffly. "I'm going to be vice president of something. You know, with a handsome salary and no work to do. It's going to be gorgeous. He made a grimace.

Anne was very white. "But, Jim, your job with Judge Hetchco?"

"She can't live in this poky

back of Jim's neck with tiny town."

There was a painful silence. "I can't go to the dinner party," said Janet shortly. "I've a date with Tony Ryan."

"S all right about Tony," said Jim gruffly. "I was told to bring along anyone I liked."

"He's all in the family anyway remarked Janet with a flippant smile. "I mean we're engaged."

Anne uttered a startled exclamation. "Engaged!"

"He needs a hostess, I need the money, we've each been turned down by the other fellow, selah!" said Janet shrugging her shoulders.

Anne's cheeks were fiery red. "You aren't in love with each other?"

"Love!" cried Janet in a jeer in voice. "It hasn't been mentioned. I don't believe it's ever going to be."

Anne was on her feet, the skin over her knuckles white where she was holding onto the back of a straight kitchen chair.

"So I've failed," she said in a voice neither of them had heard from her before.

Jim wriggled to his feet. "Gee Mums, I'm sorry."

Anne looked him up and down disdainfully. "My son is going to be a rich woman's kept husband. He loathes society. He owes it to Judge Hetchco to make good. But now he's turning his back on everything he ever stood for to be a lap dog."

"Mother!" cried Janet, shocked at the look on Jim's face.

Anne turned and this time it was Janet who was slowly and disdainfully looked up and down. "My daughter hasn't the courage to live life as a gay and gallant adventure as it's meant to be lived," said Anne. "She prefers to take the easy way out and become a wisecracking little gold digger."

"Oh Mother!" whispered Janet.

"Hervens knows where except for Bill my other daughter would have landed," said Anne. Janet felt stricken, but she was glad she had not told about Bill.

(To be continued)

STAGE COACH

Shades of the early West and Dearborn Michigan will be disturbed by a request from an official at Jasper Park for an old time three seated democrat or stagecoach. If and when found, the vehicle will be put into service carrying passengers between Medicine and Maligne Lakes. Edmonton officials, to whom the request was addressed are canvassing possibilities in this section.

GRASSHOPPER ARMY

Feared invasion of grasshoppers beyond the south east corner of Alberta has not materialized, according to O.S. Longman, Provincial Field Crops Commissioner. The expected threat was halted by favorable weather. In an effort to combat the pests the Provincial Department of Agriculture has sent out 200 ear loads of poisoned bait to the infested areas in south eastern Alberta.

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FARM STORAGE IMPORTANT

(Alberta Wheat Pool Letter)

It is feared that many Alberta farmers do not fully realize the seriousness of the congestion now existing in grain storage. It is a certainty that before the harvest proceeds very far this coming autumn what elevator space is left will be completely plugged. Every farmer should make plans to provide all the farm storage he possibly can.

The terminal elevators on both Atlantic and Pacific coasts, as well as terminals on the Great Lakes and also in the interior, are pretty well loaded with wheat and other grain at the present time. The surplus grain is backed up into country elevators, which is an unprecedented state of affairs.

Whatever the federal government may do will not relieve the storage congestion. The great bulk of the grain that will be threshed this fall will have to be retained on farms. In order to prevent damage and loss every effort should be made to provide as much safe farm storage as possible.

It is apparent that it may be impossible to market grain in poor condition, and this is a phase that should not be neglected.

It won't be long now before harvest is here and the least possible delay is desirable in developing farm storage plans.

Dr. and Mrs. Hall spent the week end in Waterton Park.

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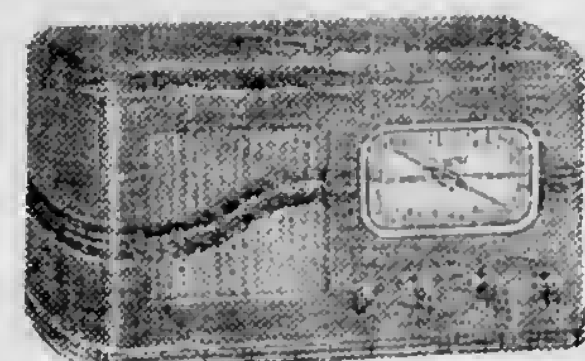


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LOWER BRACKETS

Edmonton—Number of relief recipients during March 1919 was 762,870 or 260,135 less than the same month of 1939 according to the latest reports from the Employment Service of the Dominion. Alberta shows 39,109 as receiving relief or a decrease of 22,727 for the year. Unplaced applicants for work at the end of May is given in the same report as 6,548. In Canada the report as 6,548. In Canada the registered job seekers total 117,107.

Granum was hailed out 100% Wednesday afternoon on a strip 1 mile wide and 20 miles long. Leithbridge reported .17 inches of rain Thursday morning.

Donovan's foreman was telling him how to carry a lot of material on his small barrow. Donovan listened attentively and then asked: "You have not a couple of ten pound weights by any chance, have you?"

"What for?" asked the foreman. Donovan replied airily: "To break into a gallop."

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Mrs. R. Wm. Pilling of Calgary drove down to Raymond on Wednesday and is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Don. Rodeback.

The Alberta Ranch Boys play Art Pope moved in his new ed for a Barn Dance at Grapartment on Sunday. It is not ham's Barn Wednesday evening yet completed but Art says that A good crowd was present and an be done anytime. His main enjoyed a fine evening of danc concern was to "get in."

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WATERING THE GARDEN WITH THE HOE

(Experimental Farm News)

While the reputation of the dust mulch as a means of conserving soil moisture has been rather heavily discounted by scientific investigation at the Dominion Experimental Station at Swift Current and elsewhere the hoe and the scuffler are still indirect means of watering the garden, because for one thing they kill the moisture-pumping weeds. Even during a prolonged dry spell a hill of corn may continue to thrive if assured all the moisture in a square yard of ground. If obliged to compete with a mat of weeds, the corn is stunted.

The Peace River region of Northern Alberta and Northern British Columbia is subject to lengthy periods of dry weather yet the Dominion Substation at Beaverlodge, Alberta, has never had a complete failure of its vegetable garden and usually has a flourishing one, though no vegetable crop except celery is ever watered after the transplanting stage. Transplants are occasionally watered when being set out—not afterwards. It is insisted upon by the Superintendent strictly against the rule in-ent, W.D. Albright, who wishes to see what can be grown by the means within anyone's reach. Incidentally, clean cultivation conserves all the plant food, as well as the moisture, for the crop.

The average gardener's blind faith in the sprinkling can is pathetic. Beyond a little momentary refreshment of the leaves, the sprinkled contribution is wasted or worse. The moisture that helps a crop waterially is the moisture that gets down to the seeds or the roots. It takes quite a wetting to do this.

When the seed bed is excessively dry, a judicious soaking of the opened seed furrow to promote germination might not be a bad idea, but after that, if instead of toting pails of water from creek or pond, people would use the rake hoe and scuffler assiduously to keep down intruders, they would be surprised to find how well their gardens grew with the moisture provided by nature.

HIGHER BRACKETS

Ottawa — Cost of the Royal Commission on Dominion Provincial relations so far is \$533,000, it was revealed by a return tabled recently in the Commons. Of this, Dr. Joseph Sirois received \$16,125 salary and \$5,262 travelling expenses. Dr. R. A. Mackay was paid \$19,450.00 salary, \$1,009 living allowance and \$5456 travelling expenses. Professor H. F. Angus received \$16,900.00 salary and \$9,905 for travelling expenses. J.W. Daffoe was paid \$4,025 travelling expenses only. They were all members of the commission.

FLASHLIGHT, PLEASE

When next you send a parcel To your good friends "Over There,"

Please get some nice new flash lights

And wrap them up with care. Then add some bulbs and batteries,

For these are needed too. And they will help our friends so much

In the work they have to do.

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The proud mother was walking down the High Street with her son—Lance Corporal acting, unpaid.

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NEWS NOTES

Archid Terry is home from the Lethbridge Airport where he has been working for the past three weeks.

Lafe Erickson, who has been working in the Warner district this spring, returned home Monday and went to work for Ray Knight at the Kirkaldy on Tuesday.

Alfred Garner, father of Arthur, Harold and Mrs. Wm. Anderson, was 82 years of age on July 16, Tuesday of last week, and a birthday dinner was held in his honor at the Wm. Anderson home.

RENEW YOUR RECORDER

Urchin. "Porter, can I help you?"

"You? How could you help me?"

Urchin: "Well I could do the groaning when you carry the trunks."

P. Dehlin Bennett, Fruit Department Manager of the Safeway Stores, Lethbridge, was a Raymond visitor Saturday and went to Waterton to spend part of his holiday.

Canadian manufactured farm machinery and implements show an increase of approximately 5 p.c. since September 1, caused by an increase that has taken place in the price of steel and other raw materials.

United States manufactured farm machinery & implements show an average increase of approximately 6 p.c. brought about by the discount on Canadian money and the fact that import of farm machinery is subject to a new Canadian war tax.

Cement blocks from Strong's block plant have been going to Cardston recently for use in the new Town Hall. Milton, we are told, also has the contract for blocks for a new home to be erected in Cardston.

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Canada to Supply Army with Universal Carriers



UNIVERSAL machine gun carriers will soon be added to the list of army vehicles made in Canada for the fighting forces at home and overseas. These are equipped with caterpillar treads and are very manoeuvrable and speedy. They are armoured against small arms fire and will carry three Bren guns, or can be used to carry ammunition, wireless sets and other necessary equipment. They will be produced in the Windsor plant of Ford Motor Company of Canada, Limited, which has been selected as the most suitable for the production of this vehicle. In the lower photograph, Mr. Wallace R. Campbell, president of the Canadian Ford organization, is shown with Lieut.-Col. D. C. Warnica, officer commanding the Essex Tank Battalion, Windsor, inspecting one of the Universal carriers. Other army vehicles now made in the Ford plant in



Windsor include the powerful four-wheel drive gun tractor pictured above. These and other types of military vehicles are rolling off the assembly line of the Canadian Ford plant which is supplying nearly 10,000 units to the Canadian army and another

25,000 units for military purposes to other Empire governments. The plant is now being expanded by a \$700,000 addition to provide facilities for building Universal carriers and to increase production of other types of military vehicles.